

IV. Claims 52-58, drawn to "Computer network access regulating", classified in class 709, subclass 225.

V. Claims 59-62, drawn to "Usage protection of distributed data files", classified in class 705, subclass 51.

VI. Claims 63-72, drawn to "Including key management", classified in class 705, subclass 71.

Applicant hereby elects to prosecute claims 1-25 and 73-76 (Group I).

Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and issuance of the subject application. Should any matter in this case remain unresolved, the undersigned attorney respectfully requests a telephone conference with the Examiner to resolve any such outstanding matter.

Respectfully Submitted,

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